What is claimed is:

- 2 1. A necktie assembly, said assembly comprising:
- a base member,
- a face member disposed in an at least partially overlying
- 5 and an interconnecting relation to said base member and at least
- 6 partially defining an opening between said face and base
- 7 members,

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- 8 an attachment mechanism at least partially interconnected
- 9 to said base member, and
- 10 said attachment mechanism structured to engage at least a
- portion of a necktie passing through the opening.
- 12 2. An assembly as recited in claim 1 wherein said base member
- 13 comprises a convex outer surface.
- 14 3. An assembly as recited in claim 1 wherein said opening is
- further defined by at least one intersection between said base
- member and said face member.
- 17 4. An assembly as recited in claim 3 wherein said attachment
- mechanism is securely interconnected to an inner surface of said
- 19 base member.
- 20 5. An assembly as recited in claim 3 wherein said attachment
- 21 mechanism is movably interconnected to an inner surface of said
- 22 base member.
- 23 6. An assembly as recited in claim 3 wherein said attachment
- 24 mechanism is movably interconnected to an outer surface of said
- 25 base member.

- 1 7. An assembly as recited in claim 3 wherein said opening is
- 2 structured to receive an overlying section of the necktie
- 3 therethrough.
- 8. An assembly as recited in claim 1 wherein said attachment
- 5 mechanism is further structured to removably yet securely attach
- said base member to a portion of the underlying section of the
- 7 necktie.
- 8 9. An assembly as recited in claim 1 wherein said face member
- 9 comprises a substantially planar outer surface.
- 10. An assembly as recited in claim 1 wherein said face member
- 11 comprises a convex outer surface.
- 12 11. An assembly as recited in claim 1 wherein said face member
- 13 comprises an adornment.
- 14 12. An assembly as recited in claim 11 wherein said adornment
- 15 comprises at least one etching.
- 16 13. An assembly as recited in claim 11 wherein said adornment
- 17 comprises a plurality of etchings.
- 14. An assembly as recited in claim 11 wherein said adornment
- 19 comprises at least one gemstone.
- 20 15. An assembly as recited in claim 11 wherein said adornment
- 21 comprises a plurality of gemstones.
- 22 16. An assembly as recited in claim 1 further comprising at
- least one auxiliary face plate, said auxiliary face plate
- structured to securely attach to said face member.
- 25 17. An assembly as recited in claim 16 wherein said auxiliary

- face plate comprises an adornment.
- 2 18. An assembly as recited in claim 1 further comprising a
- 3 plurality of face plates, each of said plurality of auxiliary
- face plates structured to securely attach to said face member.
- 5 19. A necktie assembly, said assembly comprising:
- 6 a base member,
- 7 a face member movably interconnected to said base member,
- 8 said face member disposed in an at least partially
- 9 overlying relation to said base member,
- said overlying relation at least partially defining an
- opening between said base member and said face member,
- an attachment mechanism disposed in an operable orientation
- along a portion of said base member, and
- said attachment mechanism structured to securely engage at
- 15 least one portion of a necktie.
- 16 20. An assembly as recited in claim 19 wherein said attachment
- 17 mechanism comprises a biasing element, said biasing element
- being structured to securely attach said necktie assembly to at
- 19 least one portion of the necktie.
- 20 21. An assembly as recited in claim 20 wherein the portion of
- the necktie comprises an overlying section of the necktie.
- 22 22. An assembly as recited in claim 20 wherein the portion of
- 23 the necktie comprises an underlying section of the necktie.
- 24 23. An assembly as recited in claim 20 wherein said biasing
- element is structured to securely attach said necktie assembly

- to an overlying section of the necktie and an underlying section
- 2 of the necktie.
- 3 24. An assembly as recited in claim 20 wherein said biasing.
- 4 element is disposable between an uncompressed configuration and
- 5 a compressed configuration.
- 6 25. An assembly as recited in claim 20 wherein said portion of
- 7 said base member comprises an outer surface of said base member.
- 8 26. An assembly as recited in claim 25 wherein said biasing
- 9 element further comprises a plurality of guide members to
- 10 facilitate disposition of said biasing element into said
- operative orientation along said outer surface.
- 12 27. An assembly as recited in claim 26 wherein said base member
- comprises a plurality of guide tracks disposed along said outer
- 14 surface, each of said guide tracks structured to receive a
- different one of said plurality of guide members.
- 16 28. An assembly as recited in claim 27 wherein each of said
- guide members are movably positionable within a different one of
- 18 said quide tracks to permit disposition of said biasing element
- 19 between an uncompressed configuration and a compressed
- 20 configuration.
- 21 29. An assembly as recited in claim 19 further comprising a
- hinge assembly, said hinge assembly disposed to facilitate said
- 23 movable interconnection between said base member and said face
- 24 member.
- 25 30. An assembly as recited in claim 19 further comprising a

1 tongue and groove fastener, said tongue and groove fastener 2 disposed to facilitate said movable interconnection between said base member and said face member. 3 4 A necktie assembly, said assembly comprising: 31. 5 a base member, a face member disposed in an at least partially overlying 6 7 and an interconnecting relation to said base member and at least partially defining an opening between said face and base 8 members, 9 10 an attachment mechanism at least partially interconnected to said base member, and 11 12 said attachment mechanism structured to engage at least a portion of a necktie. 13 A method to facilitate disposing a necktie in a neat and 14 decorative, new and fanciful, yet operative position on a 15 16 wearer, said method comprising: forming at least a partial knot in the necktie disposed in 17 an at least partially surrounding relation to the wearer's neck, 18 tightening the partial knot into an operative position 19 20 adjacent the wearer's neck, removably attaching a necktie assembly having an opening 21 22 therethrough to at least one portion of the necktie below and adjacent the partial knot, 23

overlying disposition relative to the partial knot,

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positioning an overlying section of the necktie into an

looping a free end of the overlying section of the necktie through the opening in the necktie assembly, and

tightening the overlying section of the necktie into an operative position through the opening in the necktie assembly.

- 33. The method of claim 32 comprising removably attaching the necktie assembly to a portion of an underlying section of the necktie via an attachment mechanism.
- 34. The method of claim 32 comprising removably attaching the necktie assembly to a portion of an overlying section of the necktie via an attachment mechanism.
 - 35. The method of claim 32 comprising removably attaching the necktie assembly to a portion of an underlying section and an overlying section of the necktie via an attachment mechanism.
 - 36. The method of claim 32 comprising removably attaching the necktie assembly to a portion of the necktie via an attachment mechanism comprising a biasing element.